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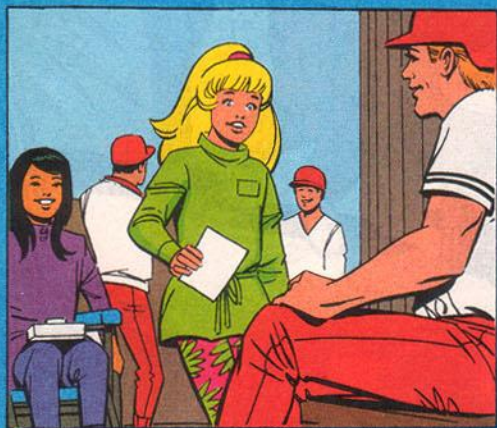
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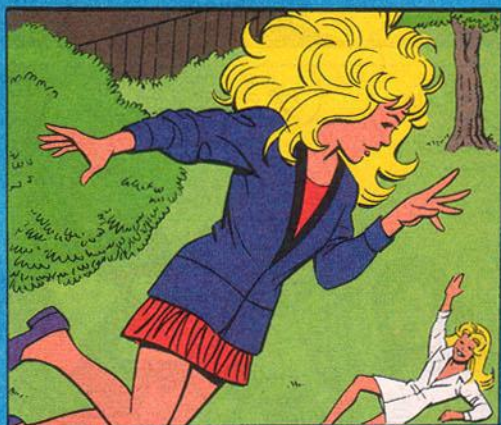


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A leisurely trip...to your
backyard.

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ANGELA!
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JIM!

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RIGHT UP
AND GET
YOUR STORY
ASSIGNMENTS!

YES, SIR!
I MEAN
MA'AM!

NO--
YOU MEAN
"CHIEF"!

HEY, CHIEF!
WHY ARE WE
COVERING THE
BASEBALL
GAME?

AND WHY ARE
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FASHION SHOW?

IS THIS
A JOKE?





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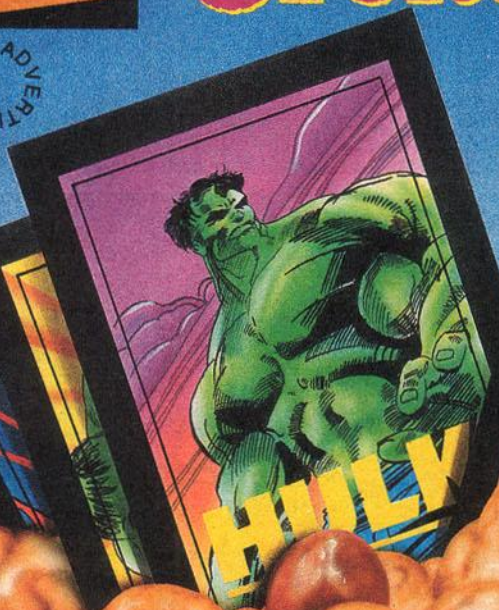
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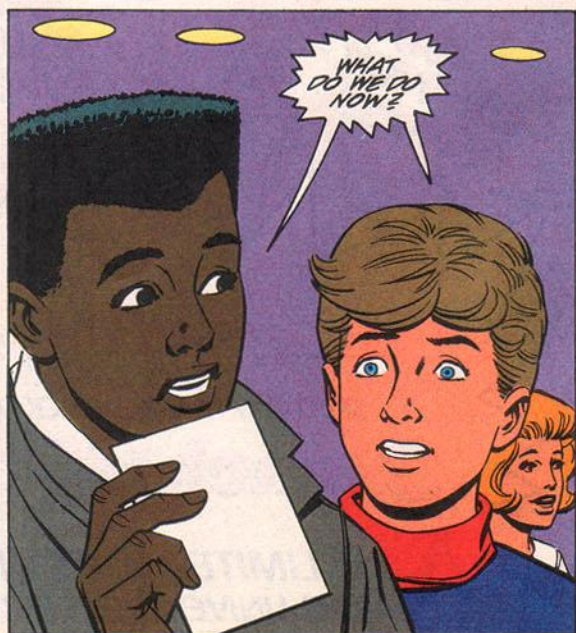
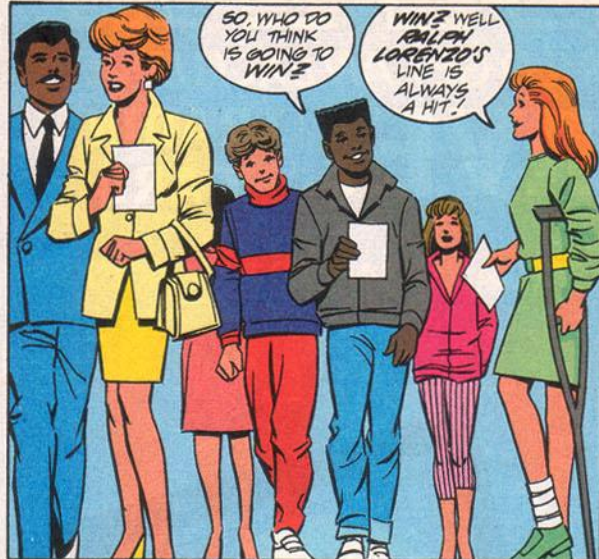
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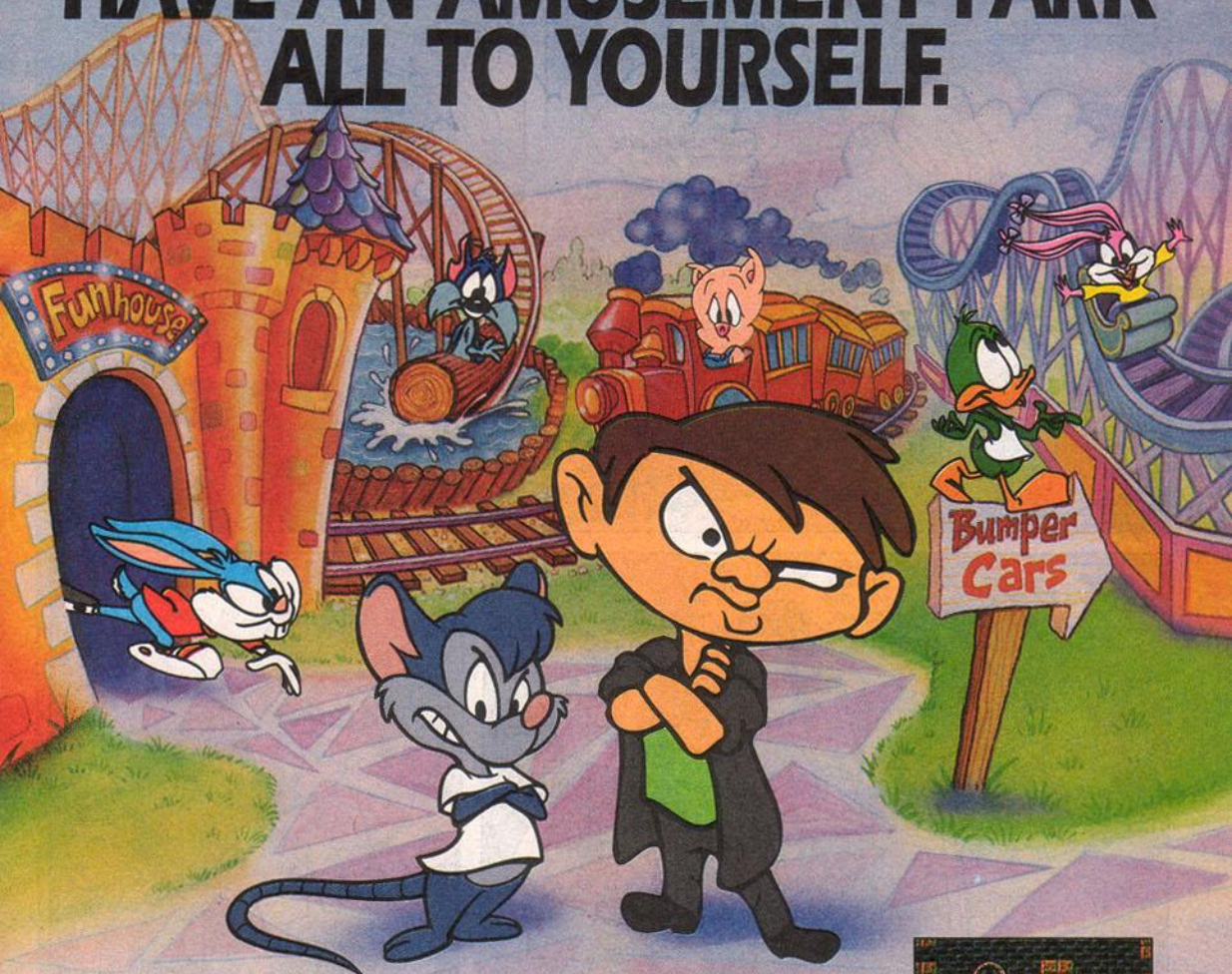
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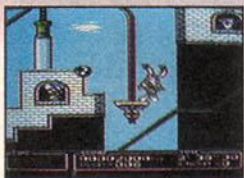




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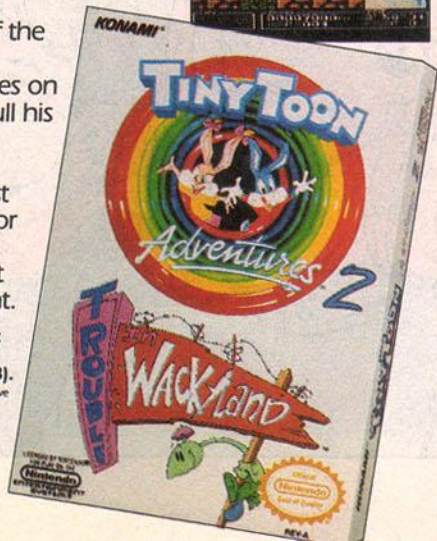
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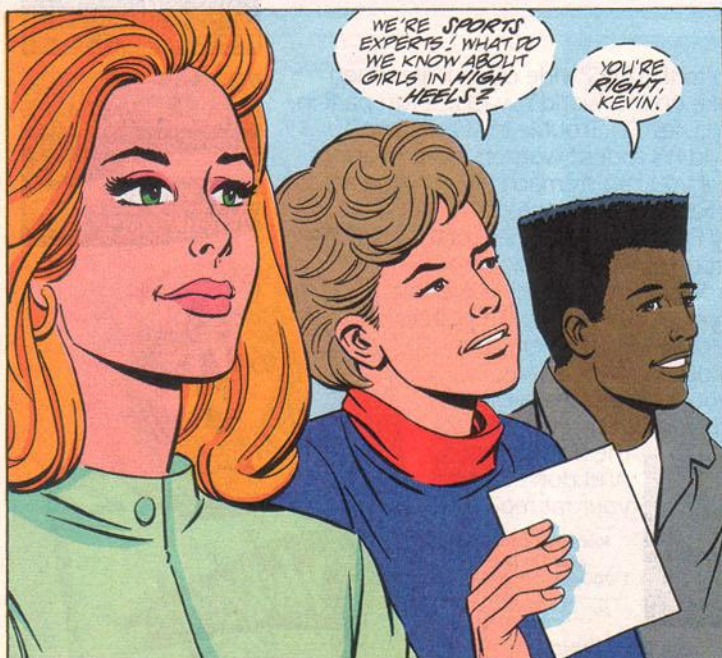
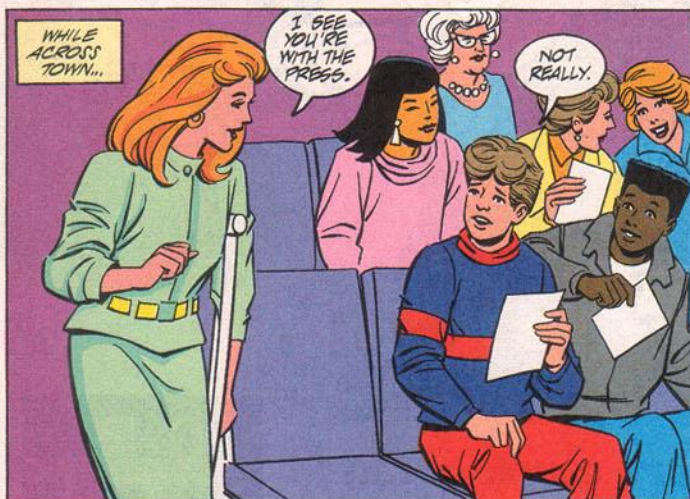
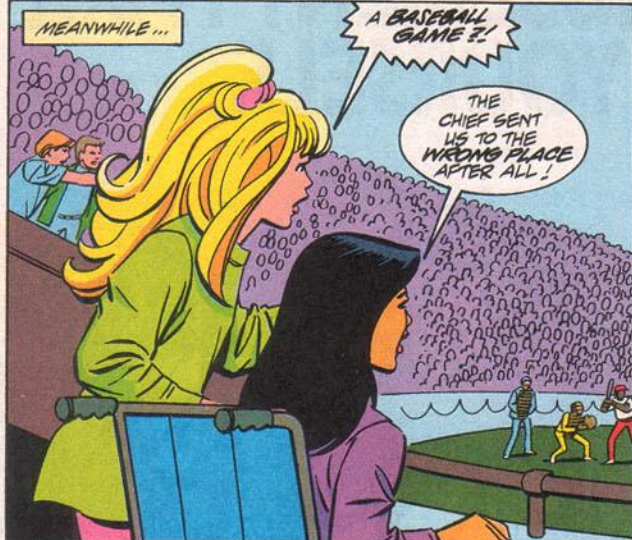
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YOU TWO DON'T SEEM VERY COMFORTABLE HERE. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, FEEL FREE TO ASK ME. I'M A MODEL.



I WAS SUPPOSED TO BE IN THE SHOW... BUT I SPRAINED MY ANKLE.

HOW DID THAT HAPPEN?

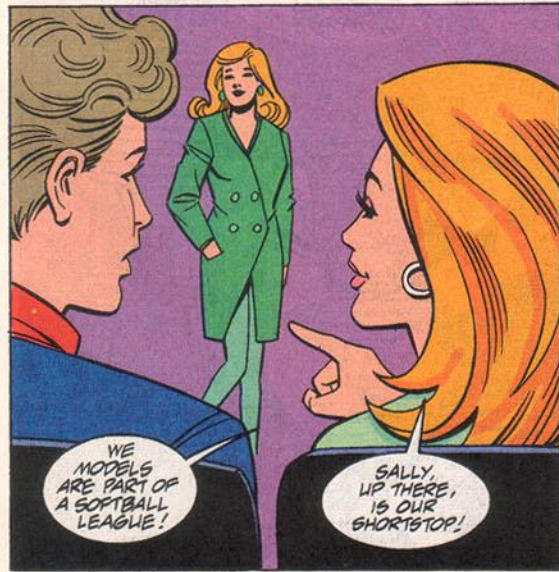


I TWISTED MY ANKLE SLIDING INTO HOME PLATE.

YOU PLAY BALL?



AND I THOUGHT SHE HAD FALLEN OFF HER HIGH HEELS!



WE MODELS ARE PART OF A SOFTBALL LEAGUE!

SALLY, UP THERE, IS OUR SHORTSTOP!



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WE'RE DOING THIS ARTICLE AFTER ALL!

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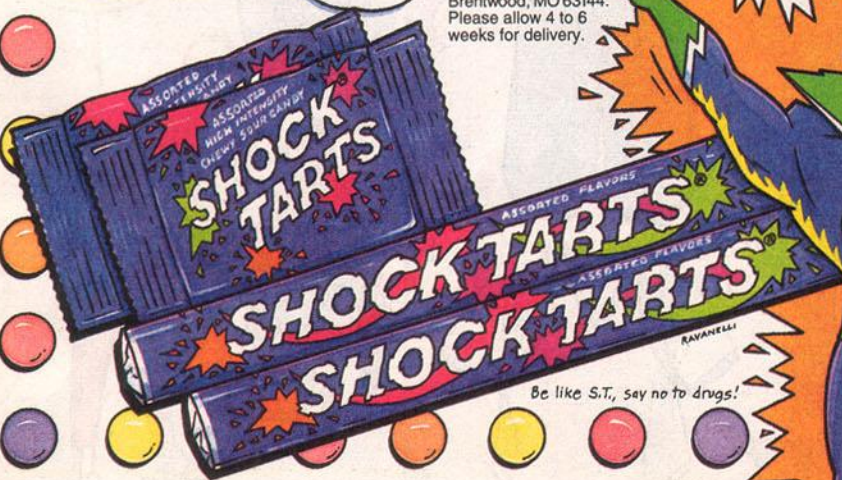
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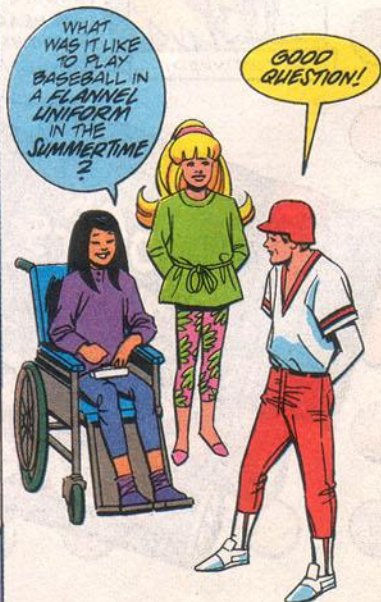
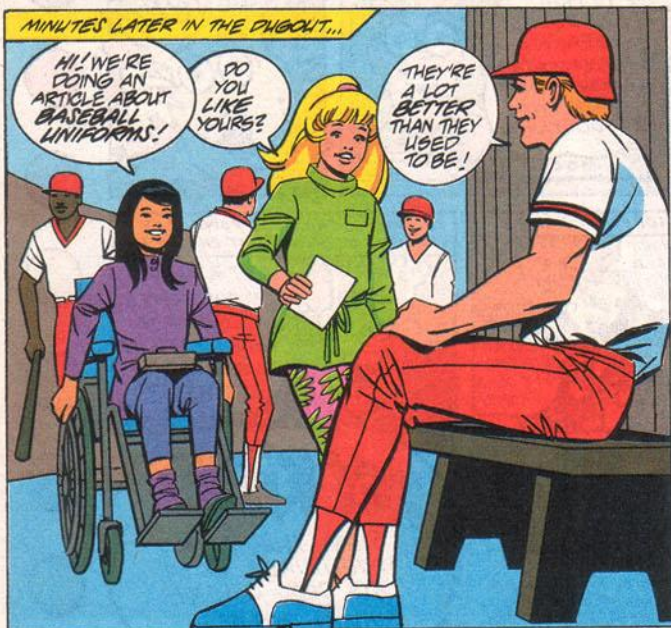
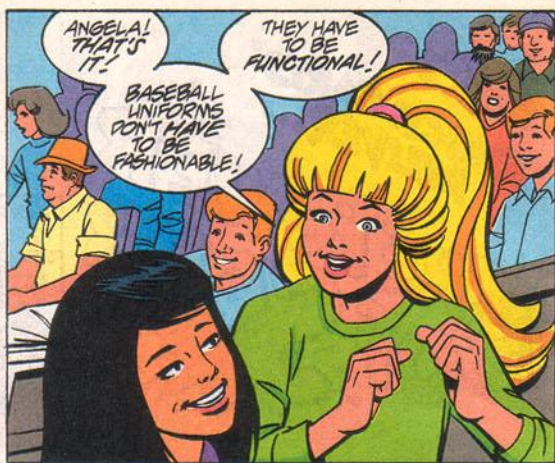
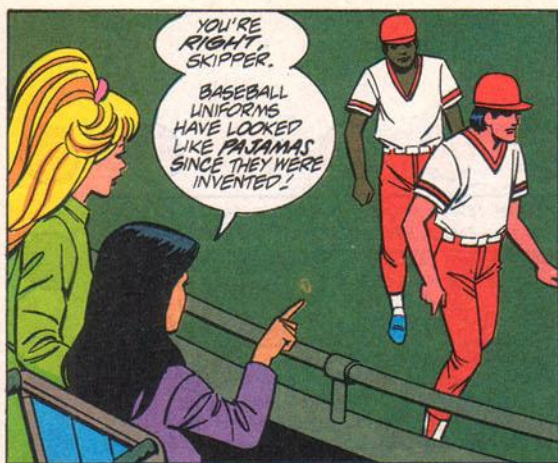
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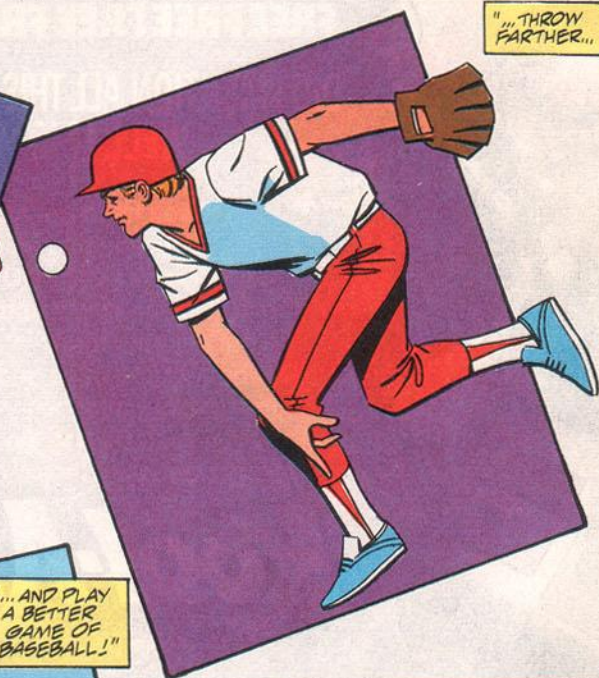
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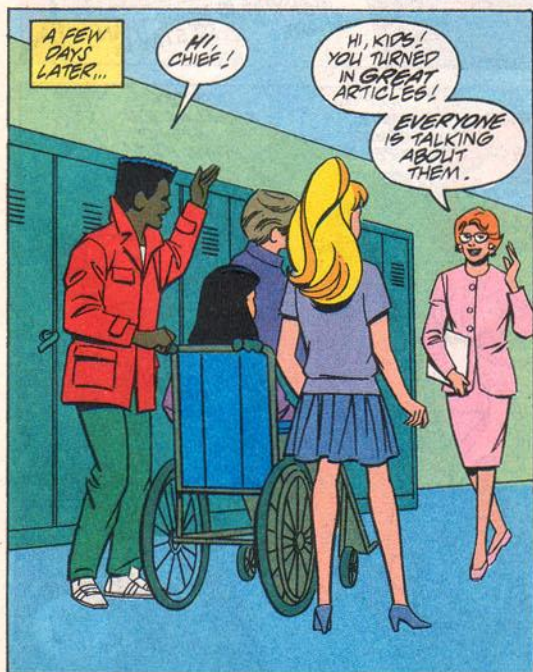
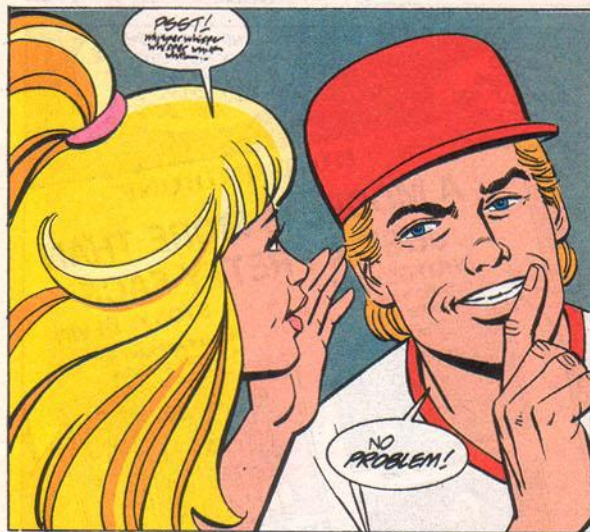
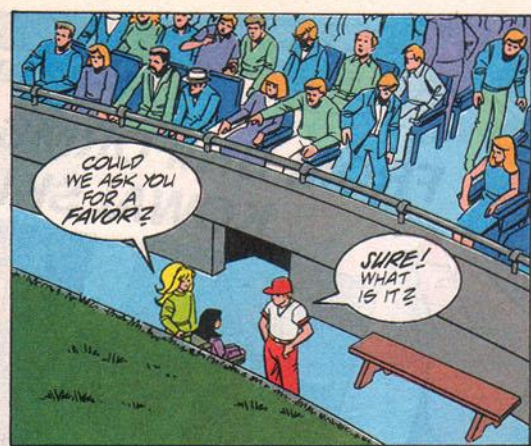
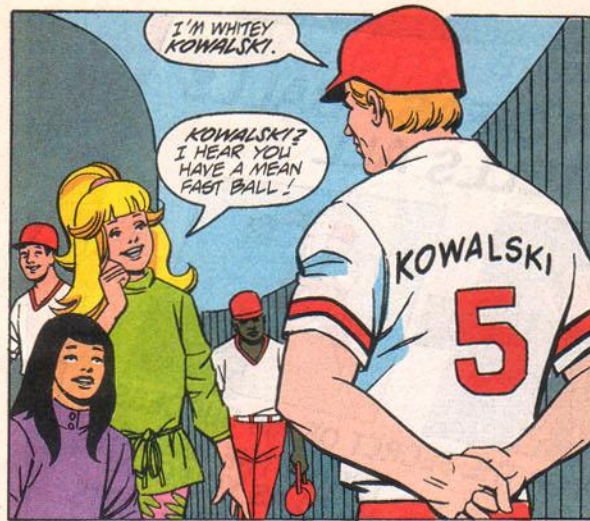
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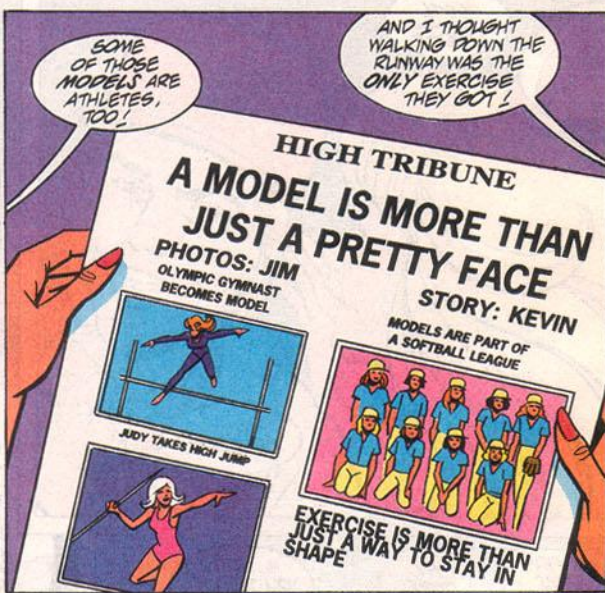
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I'VE NEVER SEEN A SPORTS ARTICLE LIKE THIS BEFORE!

HIGH TRIBUNE

FROM UNIFORMS TO FAST BALLS KOWALSKI TELLS ALL



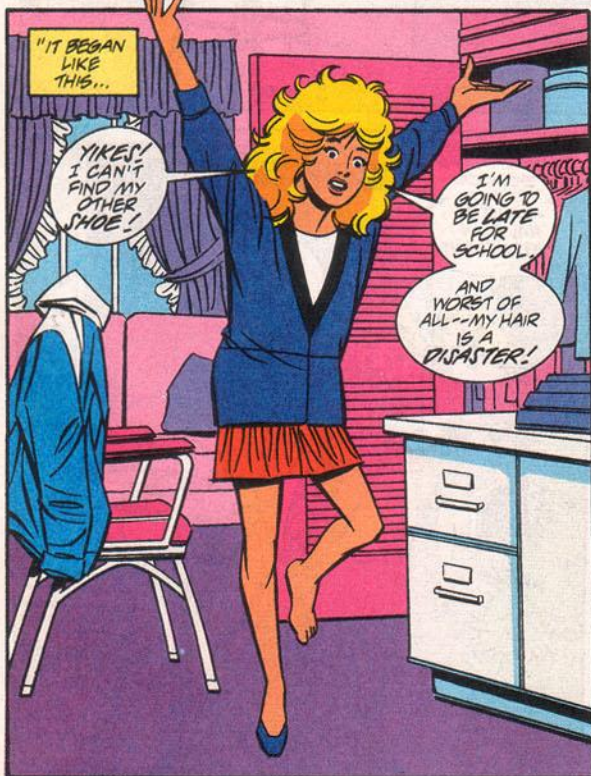
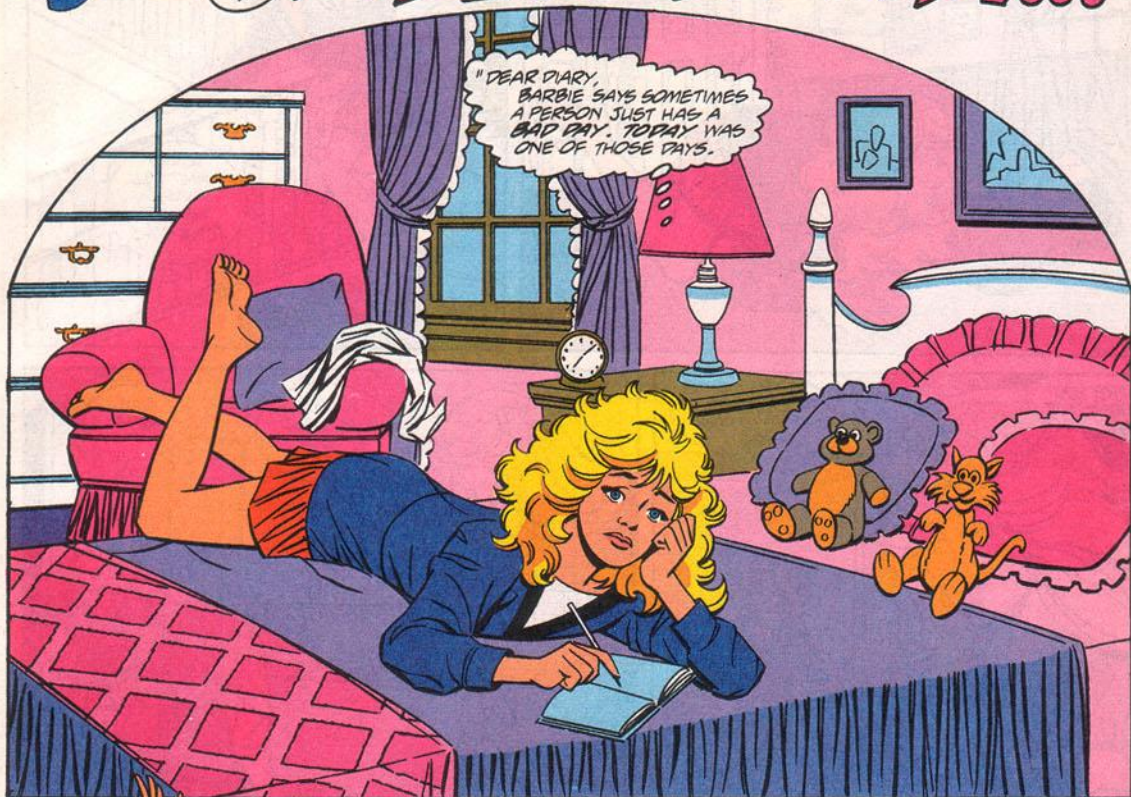
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SKIPPER REPORTS

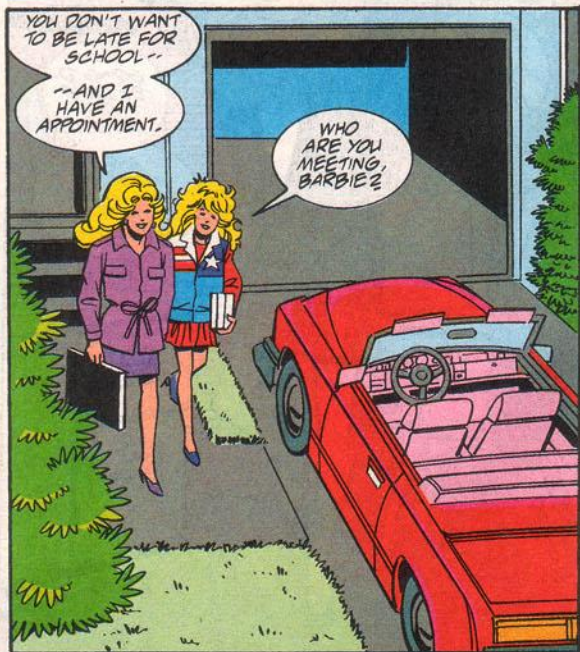
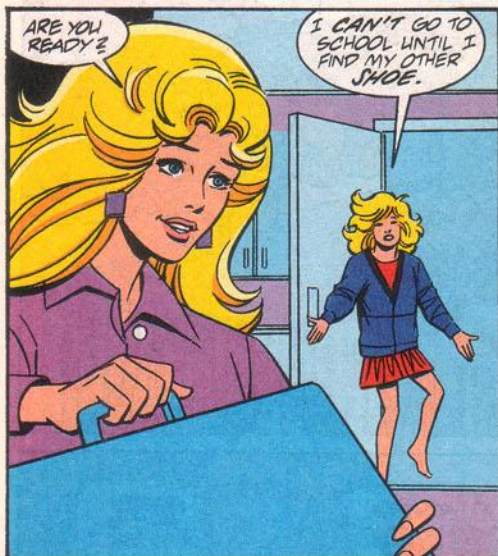
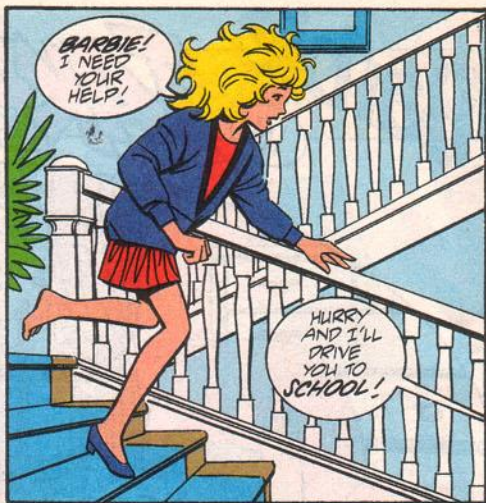
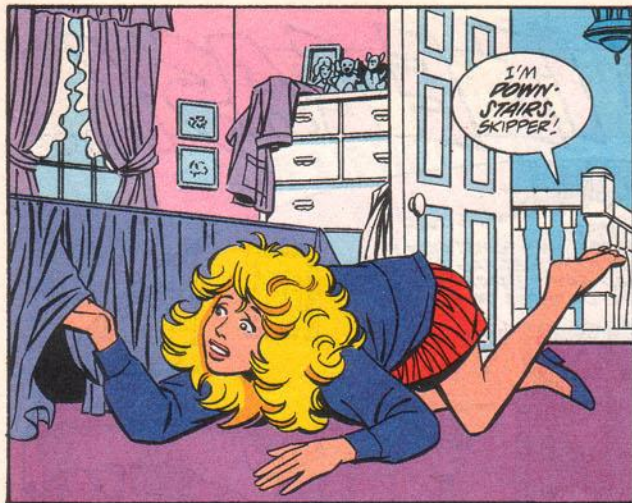


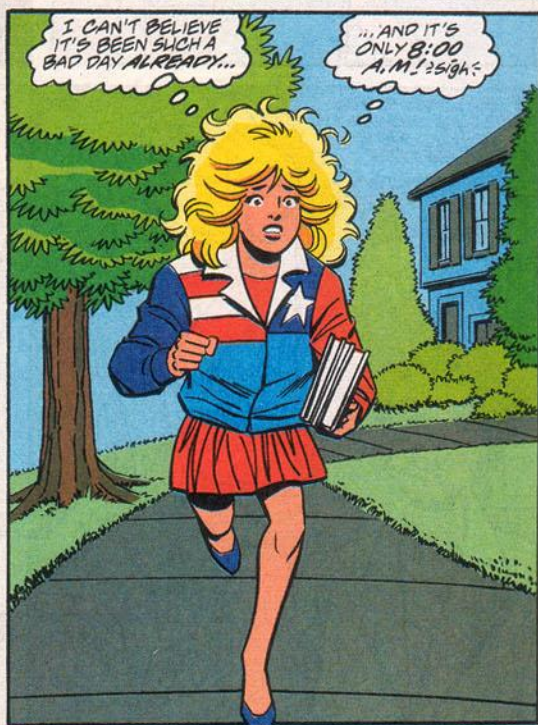
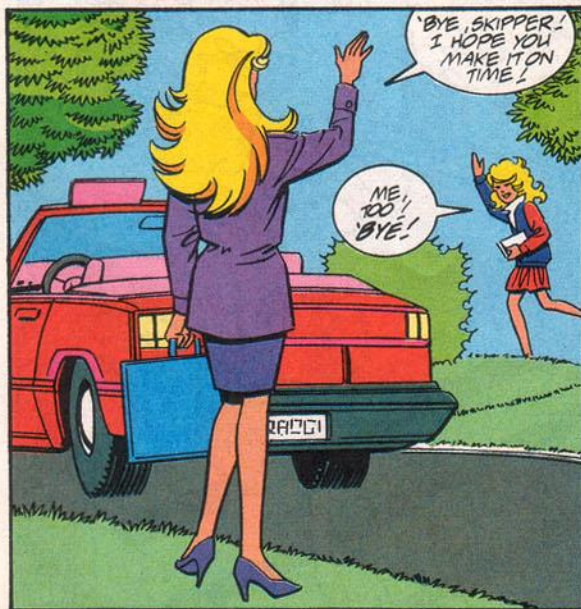
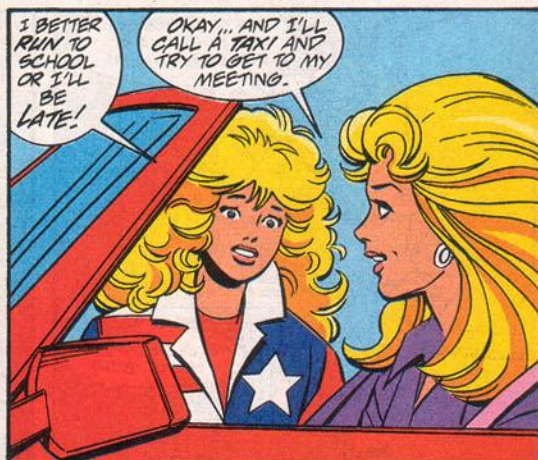
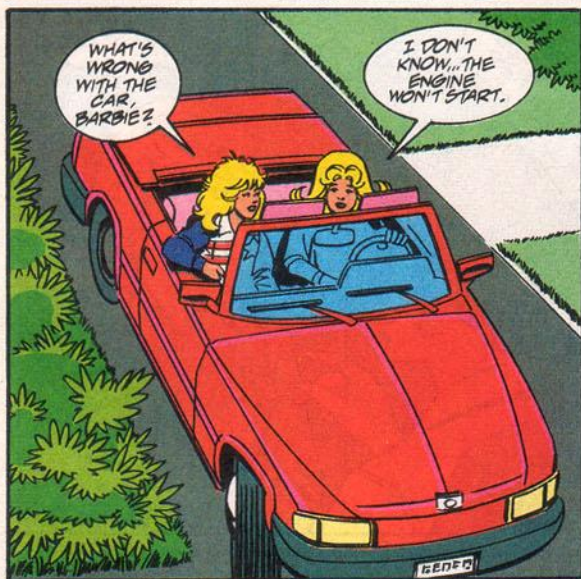
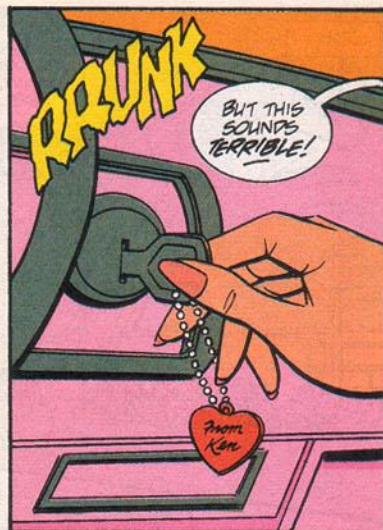
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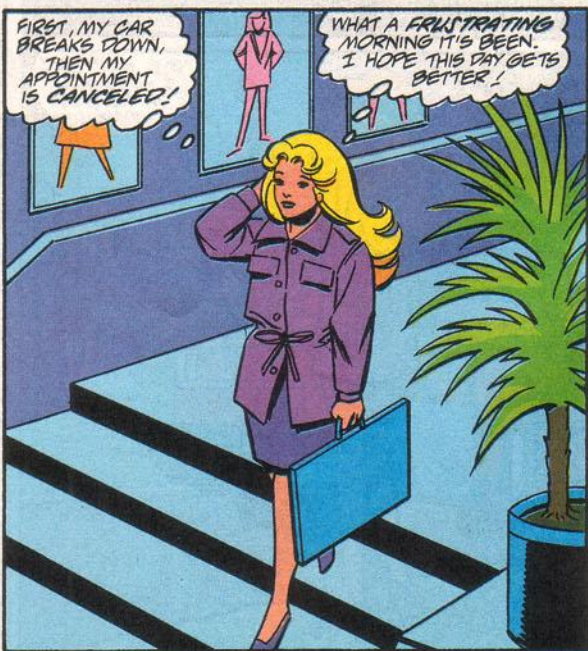
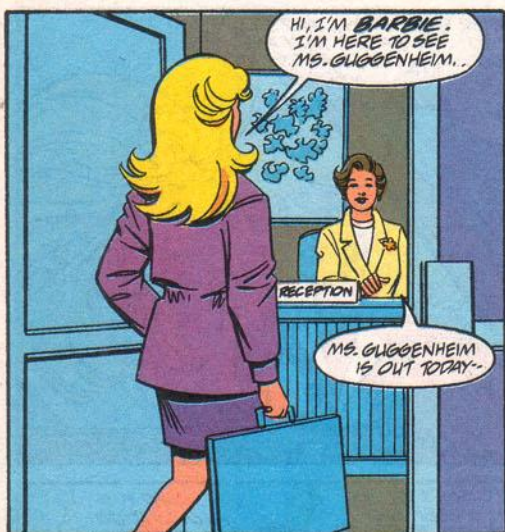
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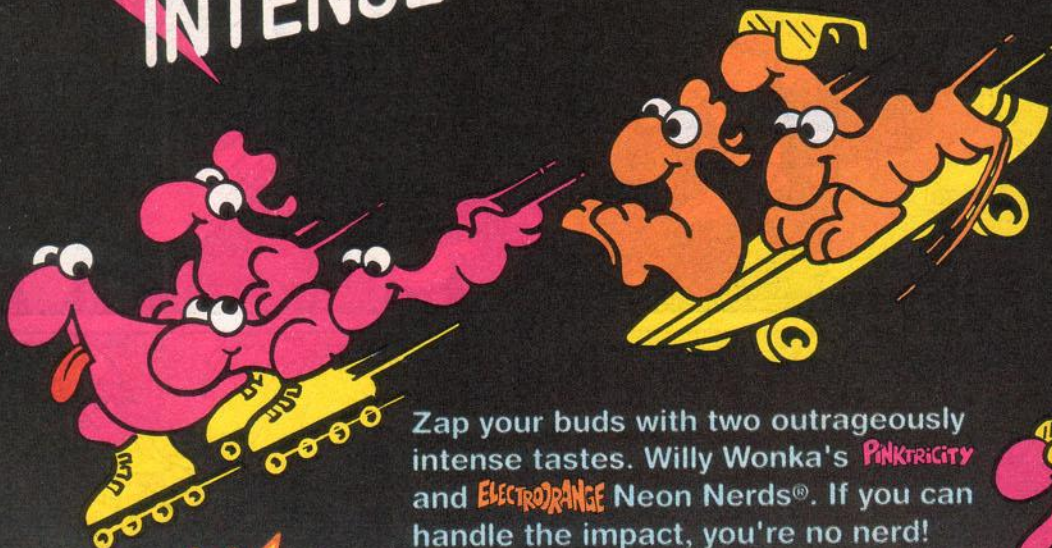




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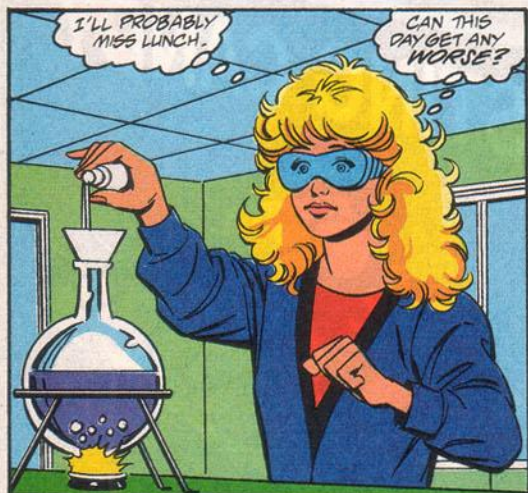
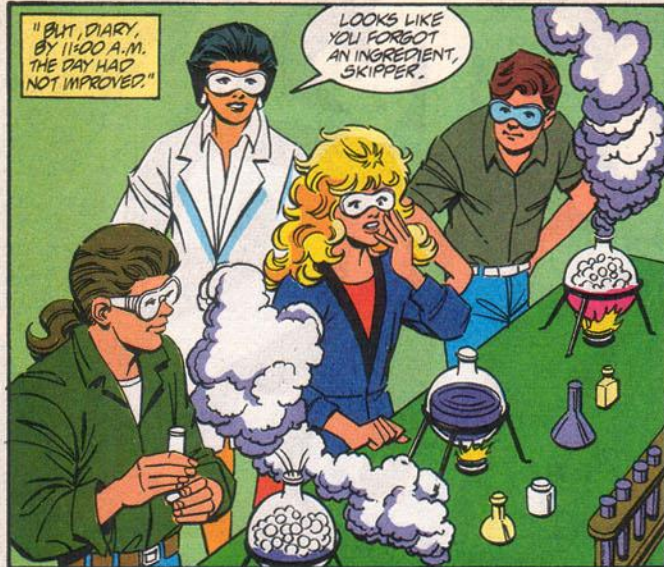
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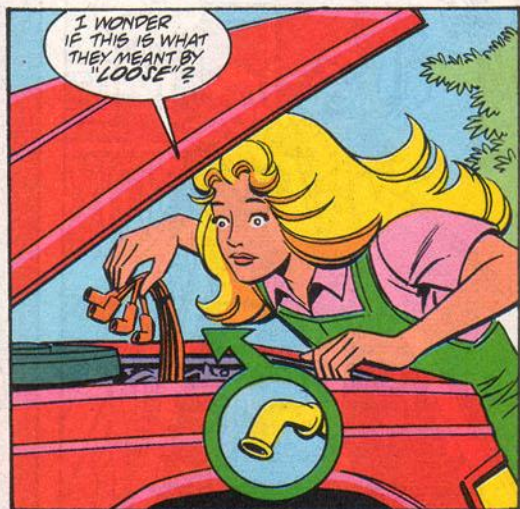
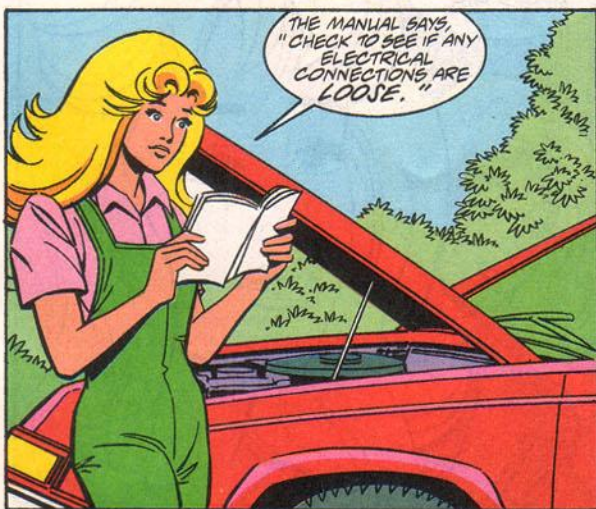
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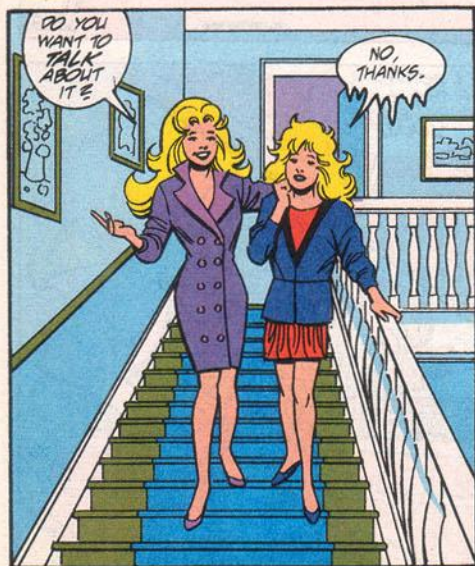
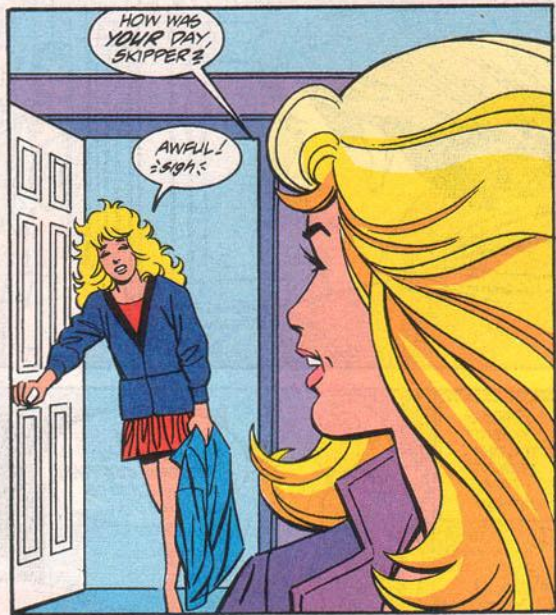
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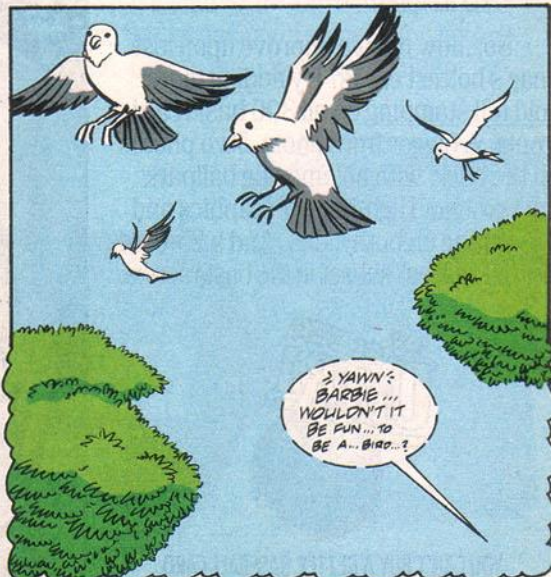
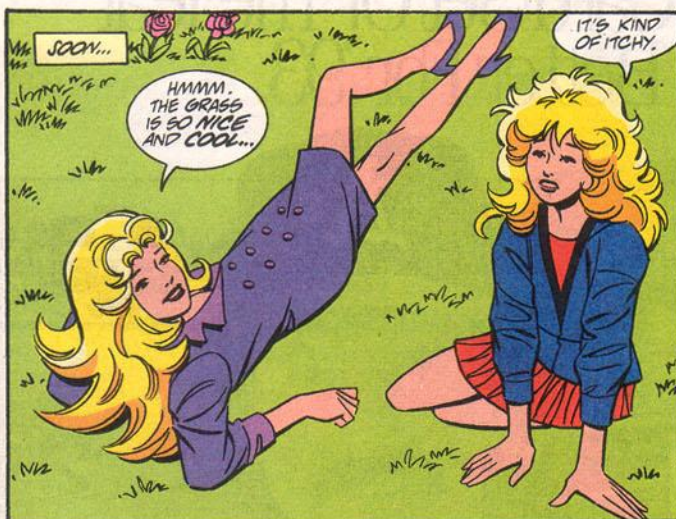
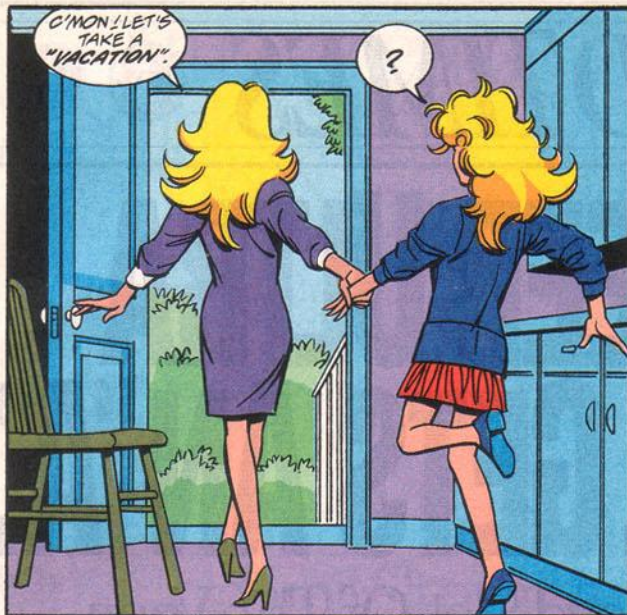
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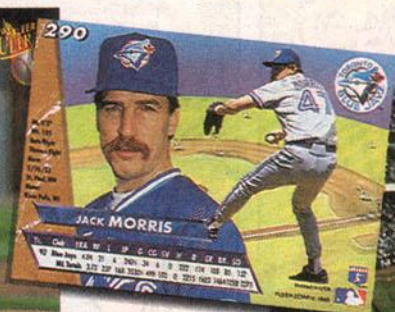
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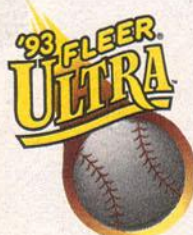


Basic card front—more gold foil stamping!



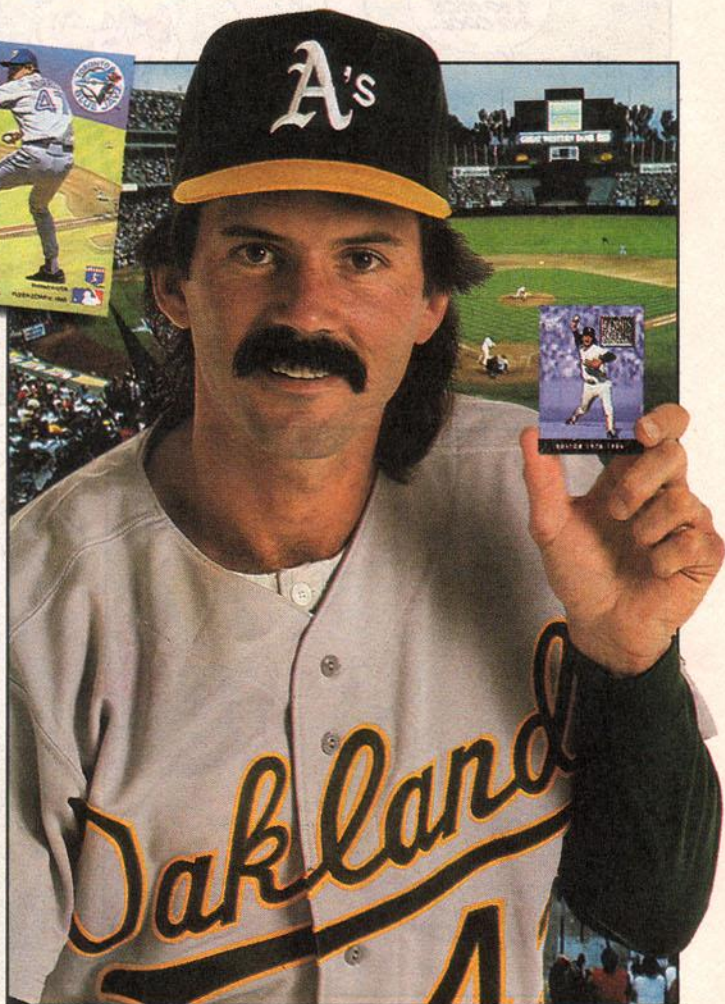
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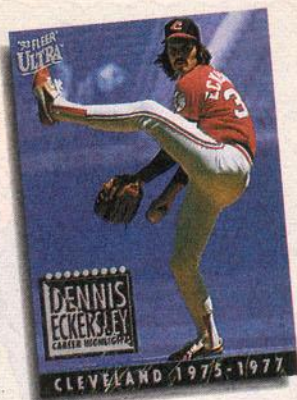
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One of 10 Eckersley "Career Highlights" subset cards.

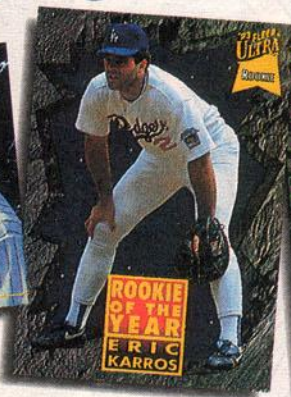
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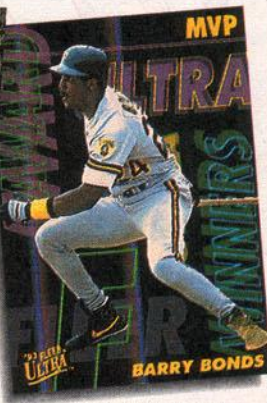
Robin Ventura
TOP GLOVE

"Top Glove" card.

"Home Run King" card.



"Rookie Of The Year" card.



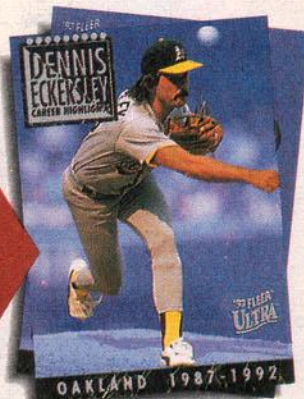
"NL MVP" card.



"Ultra Player Of The Year" card.

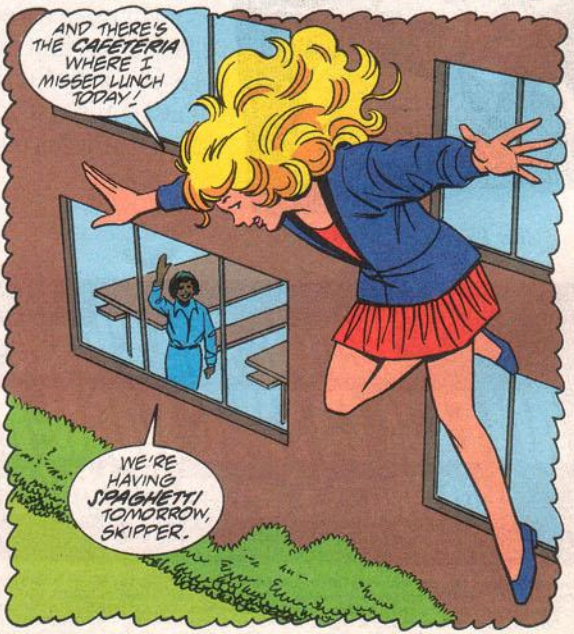
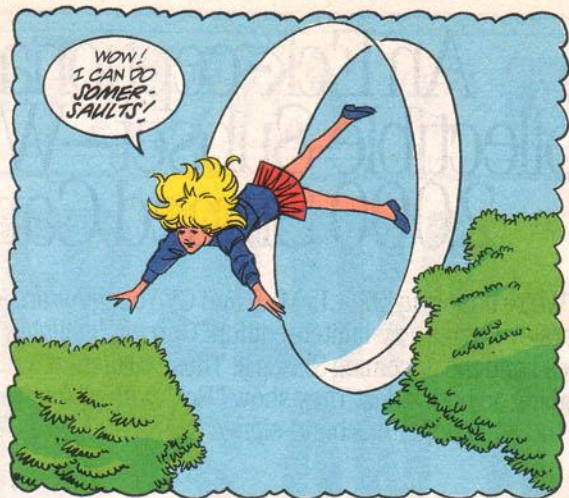
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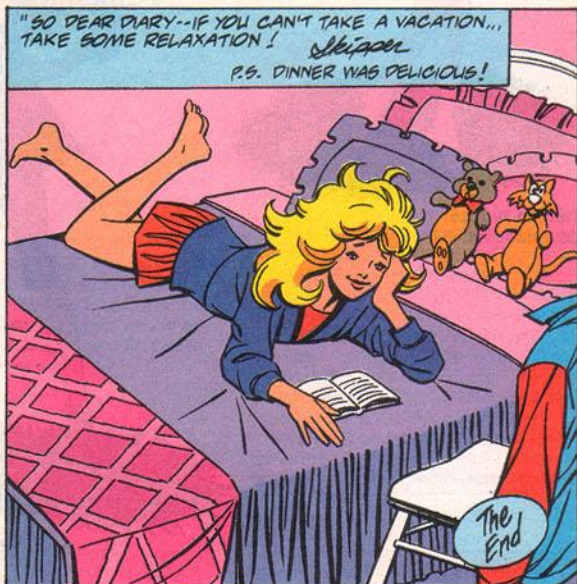
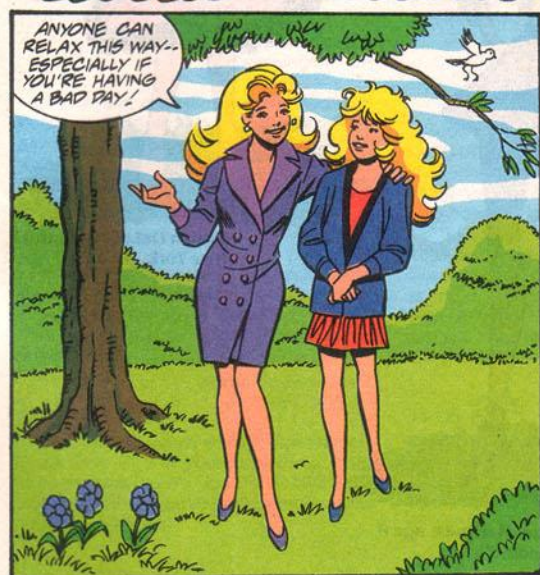
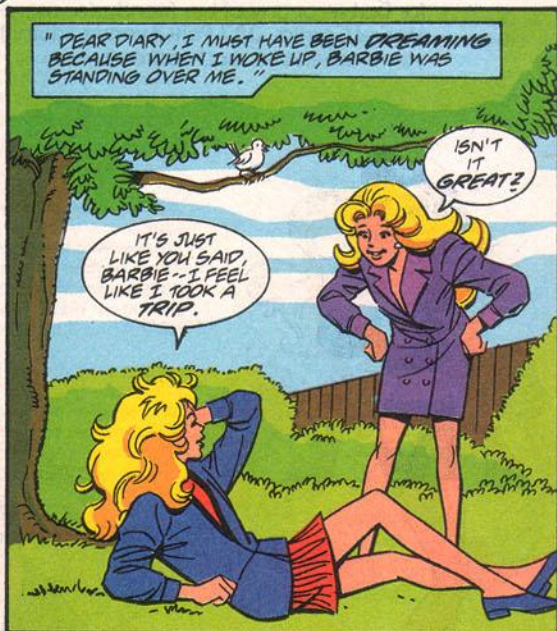
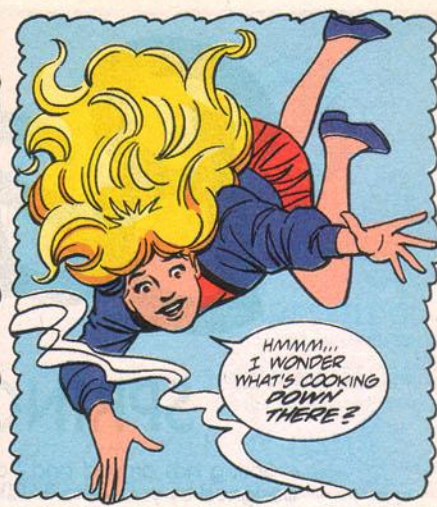
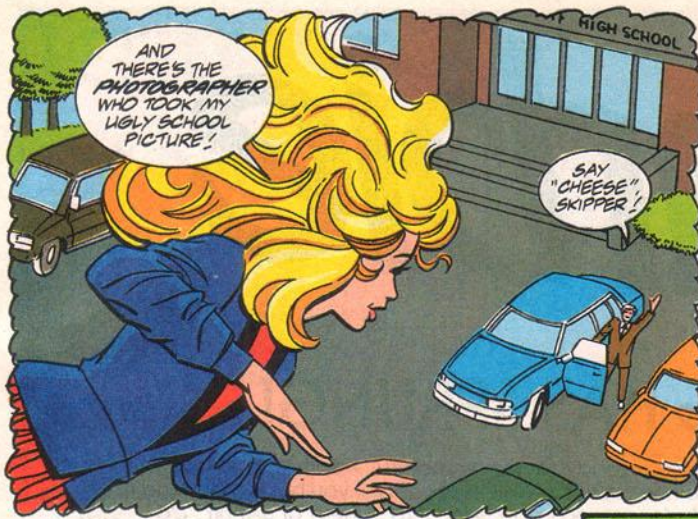
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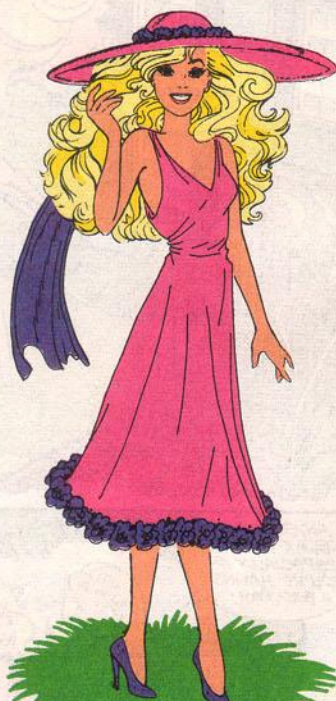
Spring has arrived and Barbie is ready for the wonderful weather in fashions designed by you—the BARBIE and BARBIE FASHION readers! If you have a design for Barbie or any of her friends, for any occasion, send it to us here at BARBIE, c/o Marvel Comics, 387 Park Avenue South, New York, NY, 10016. Be sure to include your name, age, and address!



Pamela Mainza
East Hanover, NJ



Raquel Martinez, age 9
Orlando, FL



Evelyn DeLaCruz, age 11
New York, NY

LETTERS TO



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Hey, kids — Since we print your name, age, city and state, please include them on your letters.

Dear BARBIE,

I just had my tenth birthday, and when I got BARBIE comics I was so glad! These BARBIE comics were my first ones and I wondered how much I would like them. Well, they are very fun to read. A couple of days later I got a new light bulb for my lamp, so now I can read BARBIE at night in bed just before I go to sleep.

Carmen Glazier, age 10
Buffalo, NY

We hope you had a very happy birthday, Carmen! We can't think of a nicer present than a BARBIE or BARBIE FASHION comic book!

If you, or any of our BARBIE and BARBIE FASHION readers would like to have your birthdays included in "Barbie's Birthday Corner" (see below), be sure to send us your name, age, address, and birthday well ahead of time!

Dear BARBIE Comics,

My name is Michelle. I am 8 years old and we took my dog on vacation. He is an Irish Setter named Buddy. He is 8 years old, too. He was very good! We went to New Jersey and climbed lots of lighthouses.

I love your BARBIE comic books! Could you please let Barbie see a lighthouse in one of your issues?

Michelle Paisley, age 8
Southington, OH

Sounds like a terrific vacation, Michelle! Barbie and Skipper had a lighthouse adventure in a story called "Lobster Tale" in BARBIE #23. You might be able to pick up that issue or other back issues of BARBIE and BARBIE FASHION at your local comic store.

Dear BARBIE,

My name is Marisa. I am 8 years old. I have seventeen BARBIE comics, and many Barbie dolls. My favorite story is "The Memory Book." I have one cat and one fish. My cat's name is Blizzard. Bye!

Marisa Barella, age 8
New Castle, PA

Hey, Marisa! Guess what?! "The Memory Book, Part 2" is in your local comic book shop this very month—look for BARBIE FASHION #31! Hope you enjoy it as much as the first Memory Book!

Dear BARBIE,

My name is LaToya. I am 10 years old. I have one issue of BARBIE comics, and I really enjoyed the story "Back to School Scramble."

This was my first BARBIE comic, and this is my first letter. Please send me a letter back.

LaToya Marsha, age 10
Baltimore City, MD

Thanks so much for writing to us, LaToya, but we're sorry to tell you that we can't write back to each and every letter that we receive. You see, we get several hundred letters every month—if we took the time to reply individually to each one, we'd never have time to put together BARBIE and BARBIE FASHION!

But we do read all the letters our readers send to us, and we really enjoy them! So we hope you'll all continue to write, and hope you enjoy reading the few letters we have room to print here every month.

Dear BARBIE,

Hi! My name is Anne and I am 8 years old. I go to St. Bede Catholic School and I am in the third grade.

My Auntie gave me a subscription to your comics, and I have been enjoying them for a year now. I have two questions for you: When did BARBIE and BARBIE FASHION start? And when was the first Barbie doll made?

Anne Arcelo, age 8
Hayward, CA

Good questions, Anne! Issue #1 of BARBIE and BARBIE FASHION appeared in January of 1991. The first Barbie doll was made in 1959. She has a long history of being the most popular doll around!

If any of our readers would like to subscribe to BARBIE and BARBIE FASHION and receive their copies in the mail every month as you do, Anne, they'll find a form in the back of this very issue! It's a great way to be sure you don't miss a single issue! Be sure to check with a parent or adult first!

Dear BARBIE,

Me and my best friend Joe saw *My Girl* on video tape and cried because it was sad. But then we went to the comic book store and bought your comic books and felt much better. We love you.

Margot Palmere, age 11
DeKalb, IL

We're glad BARBIE and BARBIE FASHION helped to brighten your day, Margot! Thanks for writing to us!



Barbie's Birthday Corner

The marvelous month of May is here, and spring is in the air! Many lucky BARBIE and BARBIE FASHION readers are celebrating birthdays during this fabulous month! Katie Klaus, from Valhalla, NY, celebrates her 11th birthday!

On May 4th, warm wishes go to Melissa Wyatt, in Tampa, FL, as she turns 9! Christina Mazwell, who lives in Afton, NY, will celebrate her 14th birthday on May 7th.

The next day, on May 8th, Erin Hagen of Glenwood City, WI, celebrates her 11th birthday! Dina Lopez, of Phoenix, AZ reaches into those double digits and turns 10 on May 15th! And celebrating her 11th birthday on May 26th is Michele Sherman, from Lansdowne, PA.

A very happy birthday to these and all the BARBIE and BARBIE FASHION readers who celebrate their special days this month!

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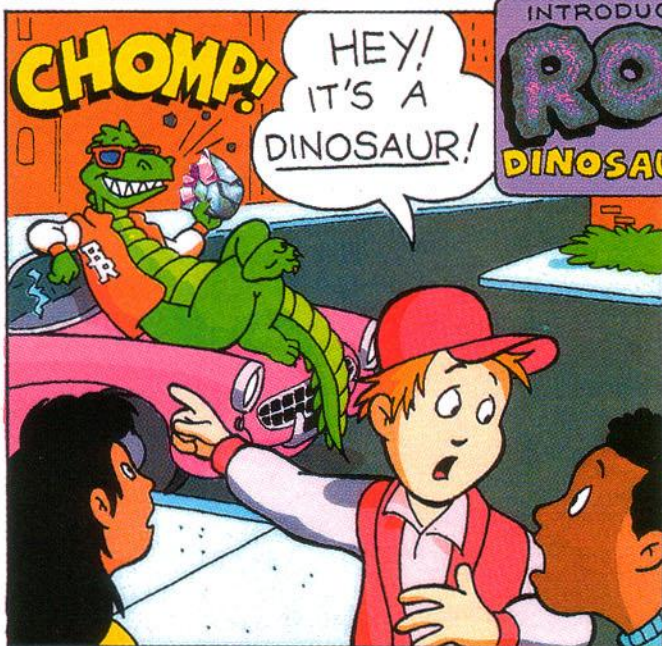
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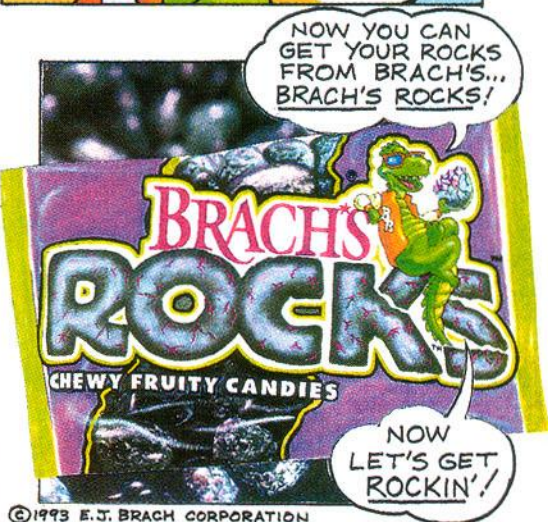
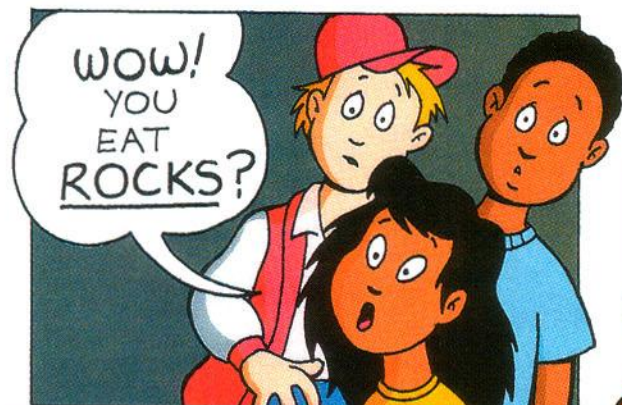
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